



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on July 3, 02 which is the date I am signing this certificate, I am depositing this correspondence with the United States Postal Service, first class mail, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Angela Wendel
Angela Wendel

Applicant: **Manning, Jr., et al.**

Serial No.: **09/665,493**

Filed: **09/20/2000**

Title: **Use of Recombinant Gene
Delivery Vectors for Treating or
Preventing Diseases of the Eye**

Examiner: **T. Ton**

Group Art Unit: **1632**

Atty Docket No.: **20263-40**

1632
413
PATENT 7-17-02
P.2

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

JUL 15 2002

RECEIVED

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

STATEMENT FOR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.97(e)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This statement is being made for the Information Disclosure Statement accompanying this statement
2. I, the person signing below, state that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1).
3. The person making this statement is the practitioner who signs below on the basis of the information in the practitioner's file.
4. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required in connection with this document to deposit account No. 50-1901.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 7/2/02

Louis C. Cullman

Registration No. 39,645

OPPENHEIMER WOLFF & DONNELLY LLP
840 Newport Center Drive, Suite 700
Newport Beach, CA 92660
Telephone: 949.823.6000
Facsimile: 949.823.6100